

CITY OF HAYWARD AGENDA REPORT

AGENDA DATE

10/14/03

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TO:

Mayor and City Council

FROM:

Human Resources Director

SUBJECT:

Resolution Adjusting the Employer Medical Contribution Rate for Employees

and Certain Retirees of the Hayward Police Officers Association

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the City Council adopt the attached resolution adjusting the employer medical contribution rate.

BACKGROUND:

The current Memorandum of Understanding with the Hayward Police Officers Association includes provisions to increase the City's medical contribution rate for retirees to \$261.34 per month or the Kaiser health plan premium, whichever is greater. Effective January 1, 2004, the Kaiser health plan premium will increase to \$305.42 per month; therefore, the City contribution towards HPOA retirees health plan premiums must be increased to \$305.42 per month.

The Public Employee's Retirement System requires a separate resolution of authorization prior to implementing all changes to the retiree medical premium amounts. The attached Resolution allows the City and PERS to carry out this provision.

Prepared by:

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Recommended by:

Beth Perrin-Scales, Human Resources Director

Approved by:

Jesús Armas, City Manager

Exhibits: Draft Resolution

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HAYWARD CITY COUNCIL

RESOLUTION NO. 03-

Introduced	by	Council	Member	
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RESOLUTION ADJUSTING EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION FOR SUBJECT MEMBERS OF THE HAYWARD POLICE OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION COVERED UNDER THE PUBLIC EMPLOYEES' MEDICAL AND HOSPITAL CARE ACT

WHEREAS, Government Code section 22825.6 provides that a local agency contracting under the Public Employees' Medical and Hospital Care Act shall fix the amount of the employer's contribution at an amount not less than the amount required by section 22825 of the act; and

WHEREAS, the City of Hayward has negotiated with representatives of the Hayward Police Officers' Association ("HPOA") and agreed to an increase in the monthly employer contribution towards the cost of members' and annuitants' enrollment in a health benefits plan.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the employer's contribution for each HPOA member and annuitant towards the cost of his or her enrollment, including the enrollment of family members, in a health benefits plan shall not exceed the Kaiser North health plan premium of \$305.42 per month for the calendar year 2004.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the employer contribution referred to hereinabove shall become effective on January 1, 2004.

IN COUNCIL, HAYWARD, CALIFORNIA______, 2004.

ADOPTED BY THE FOLLOWING VOTE:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: Jimenez, Hilson, Rodriquez, Ward, Dowling, Henson MAYOR: Cooper

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS: None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS: No	ne
ATTEST	:City Clerk of the City of Hayward
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	
City Attorney of the City of Hayward	

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS: None